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25 lbs. best Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.00
10 lbs. extra Sugar.....	1 00
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No. 1 sugar cured Hams per lb.....	10 1/2
Breakfast Bacon per lb.....	11
California Hams per lb.....	9
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Arbuckle, Lion, Four X, Gold Brand	
Mokaska and Jersey coffees per	
package.....	25
8 lbs. English Currants.....	25
5 pkgs. Cleaned Currants.....	25
1 lb. Large Cluster Raisins.....	10
1 lb. country dried Apples.....	15
3 lbs. Silver Prunes.....	25
3 lbs. Tea Siftings.....	10
Imported Macaroni per pkg.....	25
4 cans Vinton Corn.....	25
3 cans Primrose Corn.....	25
3 cans 3lb. Tomatoes.....	25
Potted Ham, Chicken and Turkey.....	5
4 lbs Tapioca.....	25
4 lbs Sago.....	25
1 Pkg crushed Java Coffee.....	25
2 cans California Raisins.....	25
Prices and Royal Baking Powder	
per lb.....	40
3 cans California green Gages.....	25
3 cans California Grapes.....	25
8 lbs. Navy Beans.....	25
7 bars white Russian Soap.....	25
8 bars white Spanish Soap.....	25
New Potatoes per cask.....	40
4 lbs. Kennedy's Crackers.....	25

Country orders packed and shipped the same day received.

J. S. SPROAT,
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WANTS \$5,000,000 DAMAGES

Archdeacon of Babylon Says He Will Sue the United States.
LONDON, May 25.—The Pall Mall Gazette today publishes a two column story of the alleged grievances of Nouri, archdeacon of Babylon, who claims to have been wrongfully placed in an asylum in Oakland, California, by Dr. G. S. Smith of San Francisco, and others.

The archdeacon announces his intention of suing the United States government for \$5,000,000 damages, and as he was an ambassador from the queen's Malabar subjects he demanded the intervention of Great Britain.

A Practical Man.
Of all the practical men of whom America is justly proud no one holds a higher place than the late Cyrus W. Field. His son shows that he has inherited the shrewd common sense of the man who laid the Atlantic cable. He writes:

8 East 56th street, New York, May 24, 1883.
Several times this winter I have suffered from severe colds and my lungs. Each time I have applied ALLCOCK'S PLEURAL PLASTERS, and in every instance I have been quickly relieved by applying one across my chest and one on my back. My friends, through my advice, have tried the experiment and also found it most successful. I feel that I can recommend them most heartily to any one who may see fit to try them.

CYRUS W. FIELD, JR.
BRANDRETH'S PILLS are the best medicine known.

It's your fault if you don't get a good suit of clothes and the rest of the outfit for about half the usual price. Only a few days more at the great consignment sale, 606 and 608 Kansas avenue.

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815 Kas. Ave.

Read the "Wants." Many of them are as interesting as news items. See if it is not so.

Creates health, creates strength, creates vigor: Dr. Witt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

HAMILTON HALL. CHILDREN'S DRILL

Dancing Carnival

Given under the direction of
MISS PUSS COVEY,
OF LAWRENCE,
FOR THE BENEFIT
OF THE FRATERNAL
AID ASSOCIATION.

Friday and Saturday,
May 25 and 26
8 O'CLOCK P. M.

Nine pupils of Miss Covey's dancing class from Lawrence will take part.

ADMISSION, 35 CENTS.

NOT MUCH HOPE.

The Chances for the Admission of the Territories, Are Very Slim in This Session of Congress.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

We Need a Better Sanitary System Some Say.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—[Special.]—Delegate Rawlins of Utah has got the laugh on himself, but just the same he does not care to laugh till he is quite out of the woods. When this congress began, it was considered a fixed fact that all the territories would speedily be admitted as states, and the New Mexico bill was only delayed in the house by accident. The senate next decided to hold back Arizona, and then Oklahoma, lost its standing because of complications with the Indian Territory. One month ago all the delegates had given up all hope, and Mr. Rawlins assigned some strong reasons for thinking there could be no more states till after the next presidential election. Quite suddenly, however, the senate committee reversed itself and reported unanimously in favor of the admission of Utah, and the bill, therefore, is placed on the calendar. This by no means makes it certain that it will pass, and in any event senators from the new state cannot be seated before December of next year. The progress so far has aroused fresh hopes in the other delegates, but senators still declare their opinion that the other three territories would wait awhile.

The State Bank Tax.
The banking and currency committee has been subjected to a very strong pressure to report the Brawley bill for repealing the 10 per cent tax on state banks, and several talented orators in the house have ready powerful addresses in its favor. Nevertheless the old hands still predict that it will not pass and insist that half of those whom political pressure compels to seem in favor of it are at heart against it. It would seem that their policy involves the how not to do it and yet seem to be doing it.

The house committee on foreign affairs, which has been urged to undertake a general revision of the consular system, has decided to let the matter rest for the present, chiefly on the ground that this committee has occupied more of the time of the house than any other except the ways and means. It had a week or more on the Hawaiian business, as much on the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill and still more on the Chinese and other measures—in short, it has had altogether one month on the floor and will enter on no new business for this session unless compelled by a sudden emergency.

The members of the judiciary committee have devoted unusual attention to the report of their subcommittee and the accompanying papers on the case of Judge Jenkins and now announce that the final result will be a bill limiting the power of federal courts in placing railroads in the hands of receivers as well as in enjoining laborers from striking. Mr. Bailey of Texas, who has had a great deal to do with this work, thinks there may be a pretty lively contest over the bill and will take plenty of time to get ready for it.

The committee on war claims has given a new turn to the old familiar bill for paying New York city the amount she expended in raising troops in 1861, and Mr. Holloway, clerk of the committee, by its direction has completed a digest of all the laws and decisions bearing on the subject of paying these claims. The total amount awarded to states and municipalities to the present time is \$44,735,170. The city of New York could press its claim against the state, and then the state could collect it from the federal government under the act of July 27, 1861, but it is probable that no interest could be recovered in that way. The city really paid out no more than \$800,000, but the sum asked for in the Cummings bill is \$2,005,634.34, the interest having brought it to that amount. The general law is that the government pays no interest, but in 1869 the comptroller made a decision that where the claimant was compelled to pay the interest on money borrowed to raise arms and equip troops that interest became part of the claim, and the amount actually paid should be allowed by the government without reference to the rate of interest. Hon. Delancy Nicoll has recently argued the case before the committee and is to make the final argument soon.

The Public Health.
The house committee on interstate commerce has divided its spare time of late very impartially between those physicians who favor and those who oppose the establishment of a bureau of public health. Surgeon General Wyman is at the head of the opposition and maintains that the marine hospital service with some added powers and an appropriation will be amply able to do all that is expected of such a bureau. The committee is favorably impressed by the argument that the expenses of the marine hospital service at present are very largely borne by a tax on the tonnage entering the ports, and that in the machinery already exists by which the trouble and expense of creating a new bureau may be avoided. Dr. Gardiner of the New York Academy of Medicine, who favors the establishment of the bureau, maintains in an elaborate argument that cholera and yellow fever are now so completely under control that with but little additional force and a uniform system they could be absolutely prevented in the United States for all coming time.

All our silverites were greatly interested in the so called Pan-American Bimetallic league, which assembled here on the 23d, though there has been some disappointment at receiving so many declinations from Spanish America generally and only seeing a half dozen or so of delegates. Nevertheless letters warmly approving the action of the league have been received from many countries, including New Zealand and Australia. There is nothing official about this league—in fact, it is rather frowned upon by officials—and it is simply a continuation of the movement which began in the Denver convention and was followed up in that at Ogden, U. T. This is considered the third convention of the league. A. C. Fiske of Denver is the president and has made quite a tour in Spanish America in furtherance of his project for a common silver dollar for all the western continent.

Money saved is money made. The place to save it is at the great consignment sale, 606 and 608 Kansas avenue.

AN AFTERNOON OF RALLIES

How the Visiting Endeavorers Are Spending the Times.

This afternoon the officers and committees of the Christian Endeavorers are in session at the various churches.

The denominational rallies are being held at the Baptist, Christian, Congregational, Presbyterian, United Presbyterian and Lutheran churches this afternoon.

Short addresses will be made and refreshments will be served at some of the churches.

At four o'clock the delegates are going to take in the sights of the city.

The following is the programme for this evening:

At the First Presbyterian church—7:30, praise service; 7:50, address, "—And the Church," especially the Sunday evening service—Rev. W. H. Hillis, Great Bend; 8:10, address, "The Knight of the Nineteenth Century," Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, D. D.; 9:00, music, Holton chorus—50 voices.

At Representative Hall—7:30, Music, Holton Chorus—50 voices; 7:50, Paper, "The Intermediate Society," Miss Bessie E. Skelton, Kansas City; 8:10, address, "The Church of Tomorrow," Rev. J. F. Cowan, Pittsburgh, Pa.; 9:00, music.

STARVING AND NO HELP.

The Story of Suffering Told by a Messenger in a Bottle.

MOUNT VERNON, Wash., May 25.—While several well known citizens were crossing the Skagit river in a canoe they found an old quinine bottle floating on some driftwood. It contained a paper with the following letter inside:

HEADQUARTERS OF SOUTH FORK, Cascade Creek, April 17, 1894.

"I have been in the mountains for the past three weeks, snow-bound, and have had nothing to eat for the past three days. It is impossible for me ever to get out alive. You will find me when the snow goes off. I am nearly wild. For God's sake try and save me. I have a wife in St. Paul. Her name is Mary Jacobson. In the name of God what shall I do? Save me! H. A. JACOBSON."

The point designated is about 125 miles above this place and snow the past winter is supposed to have been twenty-five feet deep. Telegrams have been sent to parties at Sauk City.

SUE FOR INFRINGEMENT.

The Remington Typewriter Company Protecting Itself by Suits.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 25, 1894.—Legal papers have been served in the suit of the Remington Typewriter company vs. Miller & Martin, agents of the Franklin Typewriter, for infringement of patents. Similar proceedings are being instituted in other sections of the country.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

Ringling's show cleared \$800 in Topeka.

S. M. Scott spoke at Phillipsburg yesterday.

J. S. Collins will ride a horse in the Memorial day parade.

Odd Fellow lodges No. 1 and No. 444, are trying to consolidate.

Douglas county has a Wakarusa township as well as Shawnee.

Governor Lewelling, most always rides on the platform of an electric car.

Ex-Governor Humphrey has just purchased a fine farm in Chautauqua county.

Police Judge S. S. King of Kansas City, the Populist dramatist, is in the city.

The Christian Endeavor is strictly undenominational, but the Catholics don't belong.

Some of the Christian Endeavor delegates are very anxious to go to the Reform school.

A Topeka man who has been in the southern part of the state says corn is knee high there.

The county commissioners have already allowed the court house contractor \$9,240 for "extras."

F. L. Stevenson is the court house contractor but Geo. H. Evans is looking after the job and managing things.

The Barbers' union want to play base ball on Decoration day if some of the other unions want to meet them.

H. G. Larimer has been presented with a set of Plato's dialogues by the English literature class of the Y. W. C. A.

Warden Dick Chase of the state penitentiary will not be investigated until after the Populist state convention.

Dr. D. W. King of Weir City, who wants to be the Republican candidate for lieutenant governor, is in the city.

Dr. H. A. Dykes of the state board of health reports that there is no necessity for quarantining Atchison for smallpox.

Dr. H. A. Dykes says he hasn't time to prosecute quacks. He has turned the business over to the county health officer.

Ed. P. Greer stopped in the city today on his return from the Phillipsburg convention. He reports everybody satisfied with the result.

"The case of Kansas City Blacky," the man arrested in Colorado by Sheriff Burdge has been continued before Justice Grover until July 4th.

A Topeka young man remarked today in speaking of the Christian Endeavor visitors: "I didn't know there were so many pretty girls in Kansas."

W. J. Baldwin has a great fancy for collecting rare old violins. He is the possessor of three Antoine Stradivarius violins made in 1721, 1735 and 1736.

To the Officers and Members of Shawnee Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F.

You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of Shawnee lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., at their hall on Quincy street, Saturday evening, May 25, at 8 o'clock, at which time an action necessary in regard to consolidation will be taken; a full attendance is desired.

L. S. LONG, N. G.

Attest: A. D. HUBBARD, Sec'y.

If you want a good hearty laugh you should hear Edna Davidson and Lillie Wilson in the new song "Shootin' Craps," in which Patti Rosa made a decided hit wherever she appeared this season. We can't have Patti Rosa with us, but we know that Edna and Lillie will please you. At Hamilton hall Friday and Saturday evenings.

We put on new neckbands on shirts. Peerless Steam Laundry, 112 and 114 West Eighth street.

Introductory lecture of Browning course at Unity church Saturday afternoon, four o'clock. Course tickets 50 cents at bookstores and the door.

Try Phillips' mineral water. It is considered the finest water for the stomach. 612 W. Eighth avenue. Try it.

D. Holmes, druggist, 781 Kansas ave.

NEWS OF KANSAS.

All Public Gatherings at Atchison Done Away With,

Until After the Smallpox is Under Control.

OTHER STATE NEWS.

Coffeyville Jointists and Gambler Arrested and Fined.

ATCHISON, May 25.—Dr. Dykes of the state board of health has been in Atchison investigating the management of the small-pox by the health board. He came on complaint of J. W. Howard of Bendena, who requested a quarantine. After looking into the matter thoroughly he commends the health board for its efficient work.

The only complaint he made was in regard to Dr. Troughtman's lack of faith in vaccination. Dr. Dykes informed him that he must insist on vaccination in every instance. He also believes that all churches and places of amusement should be closed for two weeks. The order goes into effect tomorrow. He thinks with such precautions the disease can be stamped out in two weeks.

There have been seven deaths in all. Dr. Dykes says the worst is over, but nothing but the greatest care can prevent a return of the disease next winter. The order forbidding public assemblies will do away with the Memorial day exercises. No new cases have been reported outside of the families already having it.

WAR ON GAMBLERS AND JOINTISTS.

Six Jointists and Fifteen Gamblers Arrested at Coffeyville.

COFFEYVILLE, May 25.—County Attorney Ziegler and his Coffeyville associates, H. C. Dooley, are making it warm for the violators of the law here. J. E. Kuntner, T. J. Hanlon, M. B. Irwin, Mike Bettendorf, Ted Lewis and Henry Shockman have been arrested for violating the prohibitory law. Most of these parties were arrested about thirty days ago, pleaded guilty, and each was fined \$100.

Assistant County Dooley on Saturday also got out warrants for fifteen persons for gambling. Five of them skipped out but ten were arraigned before the Coffeyville justices, pleaded guilty, and were fined.

A JOINT KEEPER'S DODGE.

Doesn't Propose to Pay for Whisky He Has Ordered.

SALINA, May 25.—The case of Glasen and Barzen, wholesale whisky dealers, versus S. E. Smith, is on trial here. The firm is suing Smith for \$810 which they allege is due for a barrel of whisky that was bought last November.

The whisky was shipped to Salina in the name of "J. B. Johnson," and Smith's attorney is making the defense on the ground that the bill cannot be collected, as the evidence shows that the liquor house was aware that the liquor was being purchased for illegal sale and was assisting its agent to evade the law.

SALINA HACKMEN RESIST.

An Ordinance Not Allowing Them to Establish a Certain Hackstand.

SALINA, May 25.—The hackmen have decided to fight the city ordinance recently passed by the council. The ordinance in question provided that no hackman could make a standing place in front of any business house in the city without permission of the proprietors of said house. The houses who claimed to have suffered the greatest annoyance from the hackmen making a regular stand in front of their places of business, are the Farmers' National bank, H. Keillhorn, and the Kaffer Mercantile Co. The hackmen who received notices to stay away have decided to disregard the notices and to stand trial for violating the ordinance.

BRUISED IN A RUNAWAY.

Two Solomon Men Have a Narrow Escape From a Fatal Accident.

SOLOMON, May 25.—As Frank Carter and H. Bannan, two of the leading merchants, were coming home from Abilene, they were passed by the west bound U. P. passenger train. The horse became frightened and turned, throwing the men out and dragging them some distance.

Mr. Carter has a broken rib and other bruises. Mr. Bannan's wrist is sprained, his head cut and he is in much pain.

Arrested for Murder.

WICHITA, May 25.—Anderson Gray, a farmer living near Conway Springs, has been arrested for the murder of Tom Patton. The murdered man, Tom Patton, was shot and killed by a bullet from the pistol of some one concealed in a grove. Dave Patton, cousin of the dead man, was suspected of the murder, but suspicions were turned from him to Anderson Gray and he was arrested by Wellington officers.

Prof. Heck's full orchestra at W. H. Woods' Queensware Emporium Saturday night May 26. Come out and hear the good music and see the fine patterns in glass and queensware which we are receiving every day. Ladies especially invited. No. 835 North Kansas avenue.

Try the non-dyspeptic Gluten bread, can be had of the white wagons or at the store. Made only by the

FRENCH BAKERY,
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The wing dance by Miss Leora Strahl and the rainbow dance by Miss May Russell please the most exacting audiences. The dances are novelties, and the excursions of the little girls would be a credit to any professionals. At Hamilton hall Friday and Saturday evenings.

Five dollar suit for \$2.95, \$7.50 suit for \$3.95, \$10.00 suit for \$5.50, \$15.00 suit for \$7.50, a few days more. Great consignment sale, 606 and 608 Kansas avenue.

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It cures blood and skin disorders. It does this quickly and permanently. Is there any good reason why you should not use Dr. Witt's Sarsaparilla? It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

Fine Work.

At Topeka Steam Laundry.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Lafest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

C.B. JEWELL GETS OUR RAIN

Which He Says Was Brought About by His Gases at Phillipsburg.

C. B. Jewell, chief of the Rock Island rainmakers, has returned from Chicago, Texas, and is now with the companies operating in northwestern Kansas. This morning he wired the Rock Island offices in this city that the operations at Phillipsburg and Selden had ceased and had been very successful. There were light rains at both places yesterday and heavy rains west of there, because a heavy wind from the east had driven the masses in that direction.

The government signal service had forecast fair weather for those places on that day, however. Mr. Jewell has heard from two counties in Dakota which he had instructed in his methods, and their first attempts made this week had been very successful. This makes thirty-nine experiments without a single failure and Mr. Jewell is very proud of the success he is having. Operations will next begin tomorrow at Mankato and Belville, Kansas, and at Beatrice, Nebraska.

SHOPS AND OFFICES.

Some News Notes of Personal and General Interest.

Two car loads of poles have arrived at the Santa Fe for the new Harrison Telephone company.

All Santa Fe trains on the Atchison branch now register at Meriden, beginning last evening.

J. E. Bressett of the Santa Fe machine shops, lost part of a finger yesterday by getting it caught in some cog wheels.

Ike Pasley had an ear cut by a flying chisel in the Santa Fe machine shops yesterday.

Dan Lane, late of the Santa Fe paint shops, had a job offered him in the D. & R. G. paint shops at Denver, and will probably soon accept.

The next state meeting of the Ladies auxiliary of the B. of L. E., will be held at Arkansas City next May.

The Rock Island pay car has returned. W. C. Erickson, late of the Santa Fe paint shop, has gone to Galesburg, Ill.

C. L. Yates, international secretary of the railroad Y. M. C. A., is in the city from Kansas City today attending the C. E. convention and visiting the association here.

On account of the C. E. convention there will be no Bible class meeting at the railroad Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening and no gospel meeting Sunday afternoon.

When the Christian Endeavor train from the west came in yesterday afternoon, there was no reception committee there to meet them and gallant Major Anderson was compelled to do the honors. The Major does not object to any little thing like that, but thinks he ought to be furnished with a badge.

Capt. Tibbets of the Denver & Rio Grande, was at the Rock Island offices yesterday.

Fred Barton of the Rock Island general offices at Chicago, is in the city visiting friends.

SOME "POLITICS" THERE.

Who Shall Be the Next State Secretary of the C. E.'s.

A Christian Endeavor convention is after all like any other convention in many respects and this similarity does not stop before friendly rows between the officers for policy's sake. In this case the contest is between State Secretary Lewis L. Roby, who is also editor of the "Kansas Endeavorer," the official state paper of the society, and Sheridan Elouge of Hutchinson. Mr. Roby was not intending to be a candidate for reelection, but he may have to be in order to vindicate himself. Sheridan Elouge charges extravagance in Mr. Roby's official acts and says that this deficit of \$700, of which \$400 is incurred in the publication of the "Endeavorer," is due to using more money than necessity demands. He objects because the "Endeavorer" is printed on the finest quality of smooth paper and its general make-up is up to a correspondingly high standard.

The "Endeavorer" is one of the prettiest journals in the west and attracts attention and comment wherever it goes.

"Our New Delight" and all Dangler stores at H. M. Climes.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

A few of the attractions to be given by the Fraternal Aid associations at Hamilton hall Friday and Saturday, May 25 and 26: The Quaker dance by Misses Leora Strahl, Bella Watts and Lillian Pierson will assuredly be one of the many attractive novelties of the dancing carnival at Hamilton hall Friday and Saturday evenings.

Look around, come and see how different our prices are. So much less it will amaze you. Positively the great opportunity is at the great consignment sale of clothing, furnishings, etc., at 606 and 608 Kansas avenue.

112 and 114 West 8th, Peerless Steam Laundry.

THE FAIR—

423 KANSAS AVE.

This being Endeavor week we shall endeavor to please everybody with good goods at low prices. We are just opening a large bill of goods that has just arrived and the very thing you want and at a price you will be surprised at. Come in and look over our stock, and get prices.

Ice Cream Freezers.....\$1.39

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